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Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number. **Docket Number (Optional)** PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) PF196P1 FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) Application Number 09/975,253-Conf. #8837 Filed October 12, 2001 Methods and Compositions for Treating and Preventing Infection Using Human Interferon Regulatory Factor 3 **Art Unit** 1647 Examiner S. L. Wegert This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): **Small Entity Fee** <u>Fee</u> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 \$ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 \$ 450.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 \$ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 08-3425 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 46,789 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 April 1, 2005 Signature Date Mark J. Hyman (240) 314-1224 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more

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